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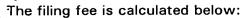
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Enclosed are:

- [X] Specification, Claims, and Abstract (24 pages).
- [X] Formal drawings (4 sheets, Figures 1-6).
- [X] Unexecuted Declaration and Power of Attorney (3 pages).
- [X] Information Disclosure Statement.
- [X] Form PTO-1449 with copies of 5 listed references.





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